

**WEAKLEY COUNTY, TENNESSEE
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
May 21, 2014 8:00 a.m.**

ORIGINAL

Public Safety Members Present: Commissioners Earl Wright, Jack Vincent, John Salmon, and Kevin McAlpin.

Public Safety Members Absent: Commissioner Bob Bell and Scott Fortner.

The Public Safety Committee met on May 21, 2014, at 8:00 a.m. at the Weakley County Department of Finance in the conference room. Others present included Shawn Francisco-Director of Finance, Circuit Court Clerk Pam Belew, Susan Collins-Clerk & Master, Keith Jones-Juvenile Service Officer, and Judge Jim Bradberry.

Chairman Jack Vincent called the meeting the order.

OLD BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS:

The minutes were deferred to the next meeting.

Budget 14-15FY

Circuit Budget

The committee reviewed the proposed budgets. Line #194 jury is decreased due to no large jury trial planned for 14-15FY. Line #317 includes the increase software agreement, #355 travel increased for newly elected official will need to attend trainings. Line #499 includes more sliding shelving and line #709 includes the purchase of scanners. Commissioner Wright made the motion to approve these budgets and with a second by Commissioner Salmon the motion passed unanimously.

General Sessions Budget

The committee reviewed the proposed budgets. Line #317 includes the increase software agreement, #508 includes the surety bond for a four-year period. Commissioner Wright made the motion to approve these budgets and with a second by Commissioner Salmon the motion passed unanimously.

Chancery Budget

The committee reviewed the proposed budgets. Line #307 includes a slight increase. Commissioner Salmon made the motion to approve these budgets and with a second by Commissioner Wright the motion passed unanimously.

Juvenile Court & Truancy Budgets

The committee reviewed the proposed budgets. The Truancy proposed budget remains the same at \$62,747. Line #718 includes the purchase of new auto to be purchased via the sealed bid process or off the state contract. The auto will be used to transport juveniles three to four times per month; the car will be equipped with radio communication equipment. Line #102 Judge was addressed by Judge Bradberry. Judge Bradberry requested a salary increase to become more comparable with surrounding counties. Judge Bradberry stated that he is not resigning but would appreciate a salary increase. Commissioner McAlpin stated that Gibson and Obion counties are very similar in work load comparisons and the Weakley County pay should be more comparable to those counties. Discussion continued. Commissioner McAlpin made the motion to approve the budget with the \$60,000 judge salary included and requested FWM to leave the judge's salary as requested and with a second by Commissioner Wright the motion passed unanimously.

District Attorney General Budget

The committee reviewed the proposed budgets. This budget only includes the salary of one full-time employee. Commissioner McAlpin made the motion to approve these budgets and with a second by Commissioner Salmon the motion passed unanimously.

Accounts #54310, 54420, 54610

Commissioner Salmon made the motion to approve these budgets and with a second by Commissioner McAlpin the motion passed unanimously,

Commissioner Salmon made the motion to adjourn and with a second by Commissioner Wright the meeting adjourned at 8:49 a.m.

Approved:

Date: 23 Sept 17

Jack Vincent

Jack Vincent, Chairman
Public Safety Committee